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Dedication

We, the Senior Class in appreciation for the advice so helpfully rendered us, do this year 1938 wish to dedicate our first annual, "The Admiral," to

Miss Emma Woods.

Foreword

The 1938 Staff has gathered together the following written and picture pages with much interest. In these are written the achievements and failures of the students of Gradock High School, their comradeship and sportsmanship. We have been through many trials and hardships together during our school life. Through continued effort and the unfailing encouragement of our teachers we have carried on. And now that the light of victory is in view we are able to look back upon our accomplishments and the obstacles which we have encounted during the past 4 years and to hope, as we portray our school life in these pages, that they may serve as a precedent for future classes; a means by which they may correct their faults.

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Class Night

June 16th

Class Will – Henry Domme

Class Prophecy – Elizabeth Lewis

Class History – Edna Overton

Historian – Hazel Christian

Charge to Juniors

Rena Lyon

1938 - Class History

In the year 1934, early in September, there set sail over the Sea of Knowledge a magnificent fleet proudly bearing a host of flaming banners of red and white. Our destination was the Land of Graduation, but there were four stops to be made before reaching there. These were: Freshman, Sophomore, or Land of wise fools, Junior, and Senior, or Land of the Owls.

As Freshmen we were welcomed with the regular initiating and [illegible] time came the Supreme Court. Although it scared the victims of the Court it took it on the chin and survived.

Upon reaching the land of Wise Fools we took on our captain, Miss Emma Woods, who piloted us through the next three years. Nothing very exciting happened this year and as we sailed by to our Junior Year

In this year, Foot ball was brought back to Bradley under the able coaching of Mr. Starr, and enthusiasm ran high. The Home Economics College was also added. On May 21, 1937 we entertained the Seniors at the annual Junior-Senior Prom, which was enjoyed by all. This year was mostly devoted to preparing ourselves for the Stormy seas we must cross to reach our destination.

On September 15, 1937 we set sail on the last lap of our voyage. For our captains officers we selected Miss Pettus as assistant sponsor, Gertrude Hettler, President, Elizabeth Lewis, Vice president, Maurine MacElveen, Secretary, Cecil Kirkman, Treasurer.

Our first activity was the Sophomore Court at which time the Freshmen received their just punishments.

was enjoyed by a large audience.

At the first of the year the class decided to put on a play. The play was chosen, time and money we are sure it to be a success.

April 28th was the occasion of a delightful buffet supper entertained by the Seniors and given by six members of the class.

Everyone is looking forward to a delightful time at our Banquet and Senior Prom, on May 20th. We are now at the busiest period of our year. With the experience we have had by our able captain will help us

ELNA EVERTON - HISTORIAN

Class Poem

Of

Out of the darkness, under the sky,
Blown by the wind and sweeping on
high.
Torn by the tempest, washed by the
rain,
Striving to conquer — but all in
vain
God is our keeper — He only can
give
The strength to withstand all — the
urge to live.

Class Poem

Saxphone Solo

CHAIRMAN OF TICKETS
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PROPERTY MANAGER -
STAGE DIRECTOR -
ASSISTANTS -

PROMPTER -
ASSISTANTS - HAZEL REIGHLE - BESSIE ARTHER
MISTRESS OF CEREMONY

WHO'S WHO IN THE SENIOR Class

Most Comical

Teachers Pets

Best Dressed

Best Looking

Most Original

Most Popular

Quietest

Most Athletic

Quietest

Most Dramatic

Most Conceited

Leaders

Most All Round

Most Musical

Most Studious

Most Literary
Most Likely to Succeed

Most

Artistic

Pete Axon & Claire Taylor are the Best Dancers

Most Versatile

Happiest

Anne Loper
Happiest Girl

Most Dignified

Most Friendly

A
Figure
Roletta Willis

JUNIORS

Zeke Lang
"Hayseed"

"ABNER"

JUNIOR CLASS

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[illegible]	Pete Phillips	Lola Fish
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Phillip Duncan	Alfred Price	Crystal Bonner
Raymond Echols	Kenwood Purdy	Norma Harrell
Elkan Etheridge	George Ripley	Iva Hamburg
Walter Freeman	Donald Taylor	Virginia Jenkins
Robert Fuqua	Ted Taylor	Evelyn Lassiter
Duncan George	Harold Truckle	Elizabeth Manning
Elwood Gibson	Hugh Via	Geraldine Orr
Edward Goodwin	Nathan Weaver	Ida Ralls
James Hoffler	Leroy Willey	Madeline Sawyer
Patrick Horan	Kenwood Wright	Dora Simpson
Fillmore Irwin	Betty Albrecht	Marian Styron
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Mercer Joyner	Dean Blanchard	Barnley Stafford
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M Barrow
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L Burnham
D Byers
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D Casteen
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C Martin
E Martin
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A MacEheon
S Means
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H Miller
M Milliner
L Moore
A Mullin
J Oliver
E Parker
H Pearman
M Pearson
R Pierone
A Porter
B Price
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R Ridgway
E Ripley
E Rock
L Kayer
A Seybold
R Shafer
J Shepherd
G Smith
T Seale
C Steinhauer
A Steinmetz
C Taylor
J Taylor
J Taylor
J Thacker
N Tibbetts
M Trieber
B Vos
E Weaver
O Wheatley
W Wilkerson
R Wolstead
J Willett
R Winn
D Wright

ATHLETICS

Cradock Foot-Ball Team

Basket ball Team 1938

Basket ball Team 1938

Henry Willett

Football Mascot

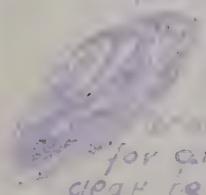
Senior Play Cast

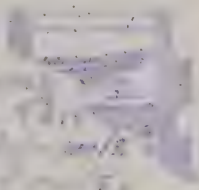
Cheer Leaders 1937

Baseball Team 1937

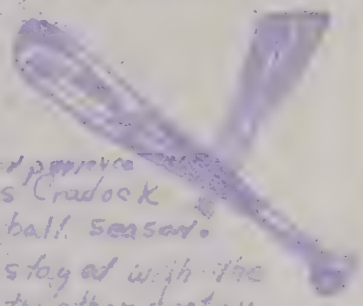
Baseball Team 1937

Seeing Graduate
Taylor





year being the first in which [illegible]
took any interest in the Cinder
Coach Story was greatly pleased to have his
[illegible] the factor [illegible]
[illegible] breakers as Pete Stahl and Chester Evans.
[illegible] he let not go empty. After speaking
[illegible] Norfolk Division Athletic
[illegible] Better Competition and [illegible]
[illegible] Chesapeake Track meet which is
[illegible] by the Virginia Literary and Athletic
[illegible] Here the Bureau [illegible]
[illegible] and [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] Well, the Admirals were the out-
standing track team of Tidewater and easily
the class of the camp out of Graduate
portals in a decade.



High spirits and good service
went hand-in-hand as Cradock
started off the 37 baseball season.

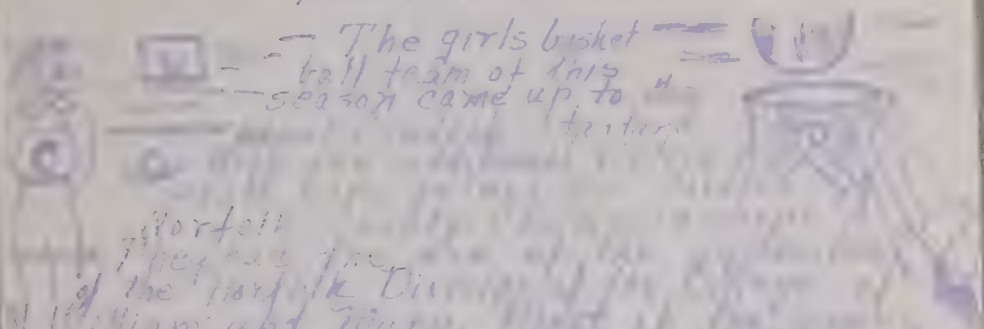
Although the high spirits stayed with the Admirals the whole season, the other factor shaped out to be a weakness. Probably, reserve pitching [illegible] the staff alone as Cradock had hard and heavy hitters. This proved to be a life-[illegible] hole more than once by eagle-eye fielding and a hard sessions at the bats.

and old made such teams as

GIRLS SPORTS

by
FLORENCE POWERS

The girls basket ball team of this season came up to



Portsmouth
of the Norfolk District
William and Mary. Most of the
were won. With

Our
ere in June.
reiver were the

The girls improved a great deal
season and
Even though the team will lose five of
from the lower classes promising
The basketball team was coached
by Miss Hyde Ferguson
Miss Powell
xt year.

SOCIETIES & CLUBS

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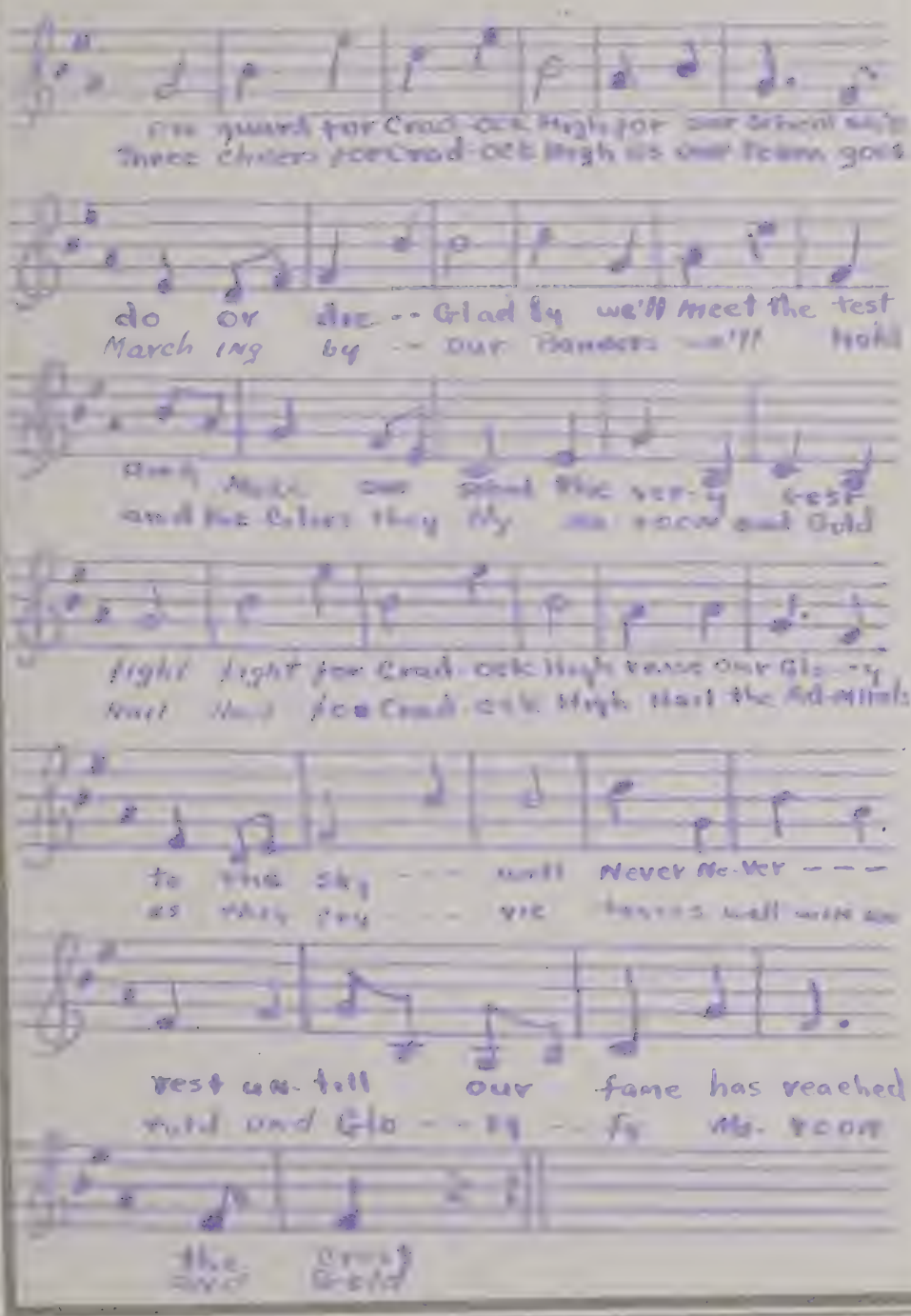
ACTIVITIES

On Guard

We guard for Crad-dock High for our School we'll
Three cheers for Crad-dock High as our Team goes
do or die -- Glad ly we'll meet the test
March ing by -- our Banners we'll Hold
and Gold
and the Colors they My
Fight fight for Crad-dock High raise our Glo -- ry
Hail Hail for Crad-dock High Hail the Ad-mirals
to the sky -- until Never Ne-ver ---
as they fly -- we hearts will with
rest un-till our fame has reached
and Glo -- ry -- fy
the Gold

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AT

CHARLOTTESVILLE

[illegible]

STERLING-CLARENCE POWERS

[illegible]

JAMES FOLDING-EUGENE [illegible]

[illegible]

TRACK

LAFAYETTE SAWYER

NORMAN TIBBETTS-LOUIS BASS

GEORGE BUHLS

PRESTON BROWN-ELWOOD CREDLE

[illegible]

[illegible]-PAT HORAN

GEORGE MELVIN

[illegible] FESTIVAL

RICHMOND

ELAINE LONGSTREET-SAXAPHONE SOLO

MARGARET SAWYER - SOPRANA SOLO

[illegible]

ALFRED WATERS-SAXAPHONE SOLO

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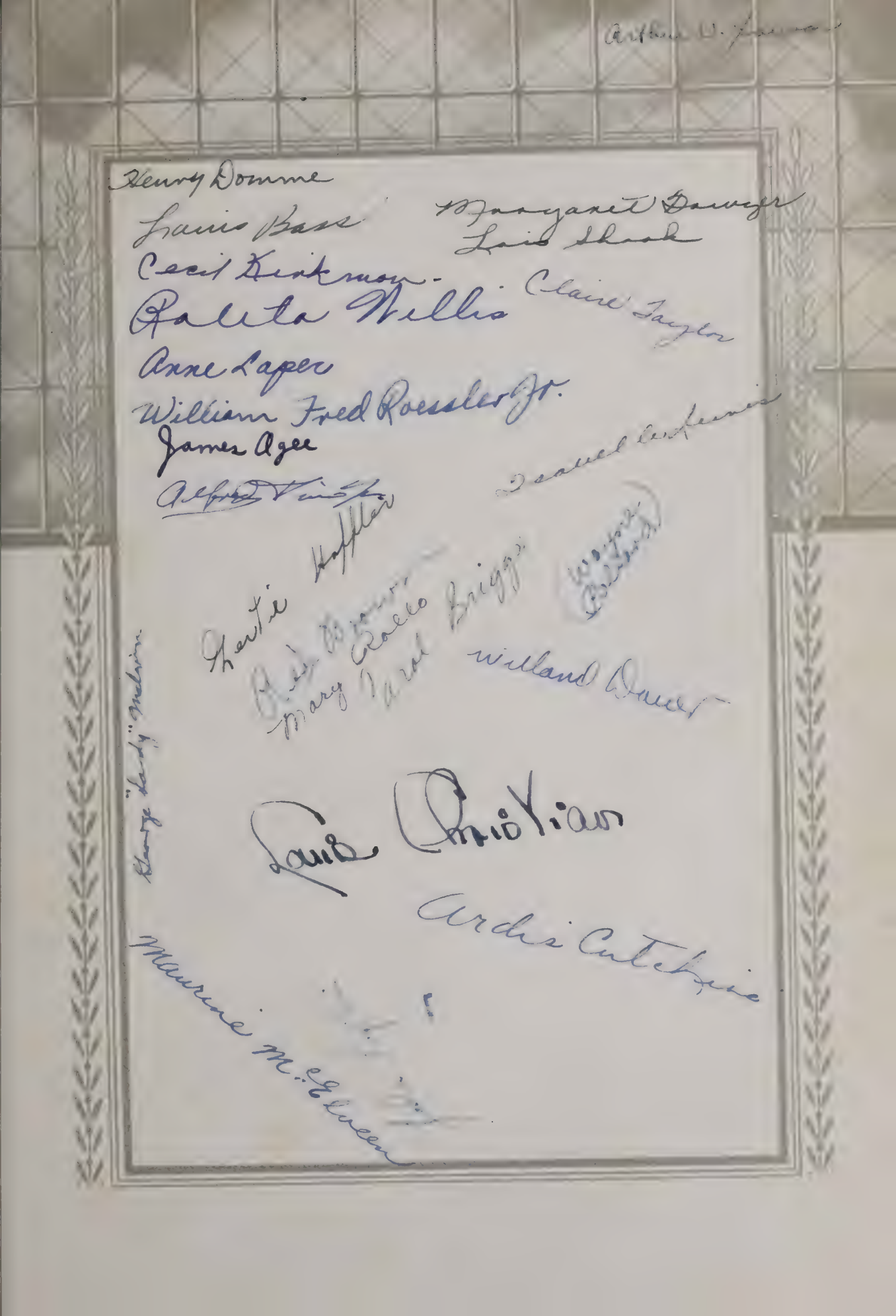
Dorothy Perkins



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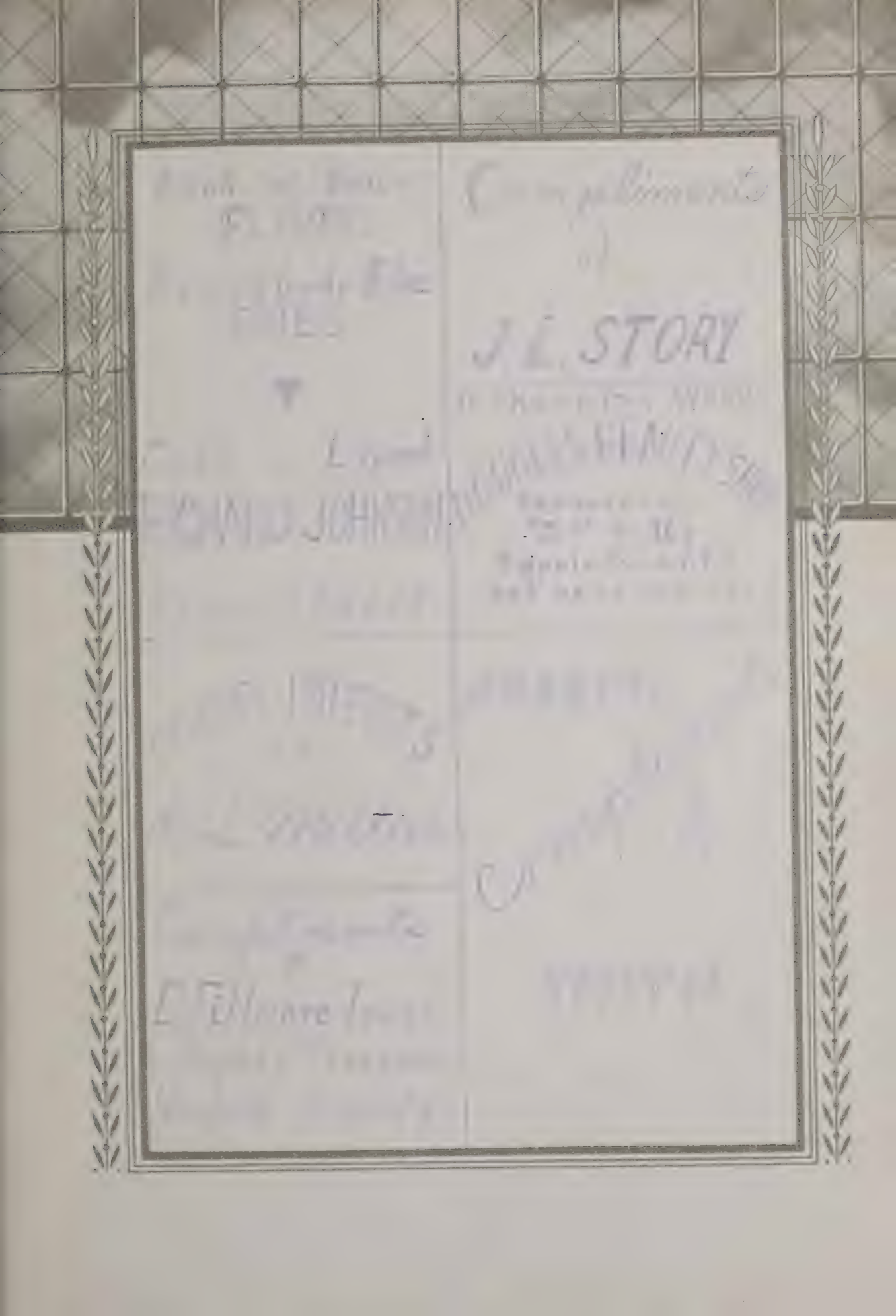
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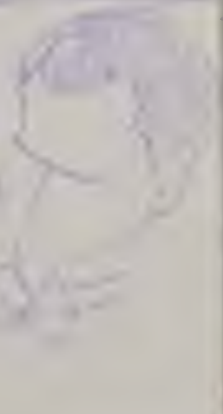

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